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Letter dated 18 December 2008 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the United States Mission to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

It is my pleasure as the facilitator of the group of the leading financial contributors to inform you that the group has decided to extend the term that its five members (Canada, Germany, Japan, the Netherlands and Sweden) will serve on the Peacebuilding Commission by six months, from 23 June 2010 to 31 December 2010. This will harmonize the terms of all elected groups constituting the membership of the Commission, assuring that future third term members (2011-2012) of the Commission will have the same starting and expiration dates of their terms of office.

I have conveyed the same information to the President of the General Assembly, the President of the Security Council and the President of the Economic and Social Council.

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